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LIBRARY BOARD TO PRESENT THE STATE OF THE LIBRARY Public Invited to Learn and Ask Questions About The Library

Santa Barbara, CA – April 17, 2013

The Santa Barbara Public Library System and the Library Board invite the community to a presentation on the state of the Library on April 25 at 6:00 p.m. The meeting will be held at the Central Library, in the Faulkner Gallery. The Central Library is located at 40 East Anapamu Street in downtown Santa Barbara.

Library Director Irene Macias will make a presentation about the library, including the proposed budget for the City Libraries for fiscal year 2013-2014, where the library stands in comparison to State and national benchmarks, highlights for the coming year, and an overview of upcoming projects. The Santa Barbara Public Library System comprises two City libraries and six branch libraries operated through contracts with the County of Santa Barbara and the City of Goleta.

The Library Board is a charter commission of the City of Santa Barbara, consisting of five members appointed by the City Council. The Library Board is charged with such duties as making recommendations to the City Council on policy concerning operations of the libraries; on rules, regulations, and bylaws for the libraries; on the proposed annual budget for Library operations; and on acquisitions, disposition, availability and use of collection materials.

For more information about this public meeting, contact the Santa Barbara Central Library at 805-564-5608.

Visit the library system's website SBPLibrary.org to find out about this and other programs at the Santa Barbara Public Library System. All library programs are FREE and open to the public.

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